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now by those who operate the temple is to sell this hair...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...right, Senator Tyson. They sell it in Europe and America and it's for the purpose of making wigs. And they've been making...clearing over a million dollars a year, so they found a way to profit from people's religious devotion. So if these organizations, even though they're called nonprofit, are operating on such a...in such a precarious position that \$25 a year they can't afford to pay, then I'll have you explain that to me better when I turn my light on again because I think the time is up.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you Senator Chambers. Senator Vrtiska.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Madam Speaker. I rise in support of Senator Hilgert's amendment. I do so because I understand what he's trying to do and these are, in fact, organizations that do a lot of charity work. I'm sure that all of us understand that there's a need for that kind of support in many of the communities of our state and I, like Senator Chambers, do a lot of help for people who need help in taking them places and delivering Meals on Wheels and those kinds of efforts when I'm home, but I don't expect to be paid for it. I do it because I think it's a good idea. But these organizations have a pledge not a duty, but made a pledge to assist those who need help and they, in fact, do go out and spend a lot of their time and they, in fact, do not get rewarded for it from the people who get help from them. Therefore, I think that it's only considerate of us, as has been indicated, we've been doing this for a great long time, and I don't see any great need and why we should turn around and now decide that we ought to, in fact, make these people have to buy...to spend that kind of money for things other than the type of work they're trying to do, which is...benefits a great many of the...of the...I wouldn't say poor, but the people who have other problems that need, in fact, help that are older, who don't have the wherewithal to take care of themselves as well as they could. And many of these organizations do a lot of that good kind of work and I think that's the reason why I support Senator Hilgert's amendment to this bill, and would hope that the rest of you could see fit to